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SECOND NIGHT OF BIG BAZAAR

A Large Party From North Hampton Present—The Entertainment Excellent and Sales Large.

The second night of the bazaar, held at Freeman's hall, under the auspices of the Dainon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, for the aid of their building fund, saw a larger crowd than on the opening night, and something doing every minute.

At all the booths where there had been a big sale on the opening night, there was a new supply on hand, and there was something of value for everybody's money. The candy shop did an especially big business.

The bazaar received a visit last evening from the Union Lodge of North Hampton, who came over on a special electric car, and they were greatly pleased with everything.

The entertainment for the evening was given by George Channing Darling, who gave an exceptionally in-

teresting and humorous exhibition of clay moulding, chalk sketches, and this accompanied by a line of talk that made a hit. Diete and Morin, comedy acrobats, were also on the bill, and they furnished an act that was very amusing. They are clever people and received a fine hand.

The bazaar will be continued this evening and tomorrow evening with new and attractive features for each evening.

The Portsmouth orchestra club will furnish the musical programme at

THE WEATHER

Thursday night and Friday—Fair and cooler with westerly or northerly winds.

the bazaar this evening, and they will feature some of the songs of Messrs. Hasty and Parker, the well-known local writers, who are winning a national reputation.

JUMPED FROM TRAIN

Navy Yard Man Got Some Bad Hurts at Biddeford

Under date of Tuesday the Biddeford Journal gives the story of the experience of Arthur Brannfield in jumping off a moving passenger train at Biddeford. Brannfield, who stated he was connected with the hospital at the navy yard, was in Dover on that day and when ready to come to Portsmouth he got on the wrong train and took the Portland express. He did not realize where he was until he reached Biddeford, where he did a funny stunt in getting off.

The train was moving along at a fair clip when he jumped and this descent resulted in the loss of some teeth and many cuts and bruises, though no bones were broken.

His nose was cut, and the doctor said that from his investigation, it was remarkable that it was not broken. He struck on his face, from all appearances. Besides his nose, one eye was badly discolored, two teeth were broken, his lips were cut and badly swollen and one ear was cut. The flesh was scraped off the muscles of the right hand and his left leg was badly injured.

KITTERY LETTER

Miss Wilson Weds Mr. Hutchins

Academy Teachers at Convention

An Initiation at Tonight's Rebekah Meeting

Green Paint to Go on the Local Harbor Tugboats

Kittery, Me., Oct. 26. Kittery correspondent's telephone 297-5.

There will be no school at Traip academy on Friday on account of a teachers' convention.

It is said that a quantity of coal for the Alice Hoard's bunkers will be piled on Badger's Island and that she will coal there this winter instead of Cutts wharf in Spruce Creek as she did last year. The midnight Saturday night trips to the lower harbor in all weathers were never welcomed by skipper or crew, so the change will doubtless be welcome.

This evening at their regular meeting in Odd Fellows' Hall the Daughters of Rebekah will have an initiation, followed by a social and round party, and members are requested to bring a pound of confectionery or other light refreshment.

Three rehearsals a week are in order for "The Rebel," the colonial drama written by two senior girls, Miss Alice Coe and Miss Berenice Gladden, and to be presented at Traip Academy the middle of November.

Mrs. Ned Paul is a visitor in York today.

Miss Helen Dunbar opens her dancing class at York town hall, York Village, on Friday afternoon.

The Junior class of Traip Academy will give a harvest supper and hop at Grange Hall this evening.

George H. Fernald today closed his summer home at Kittery Depot and left with his family for Worcester.

Don. Horace Mitchell passed Wednesday in Portland.

Miss Dorothy Dalzell of the Traip Academy faculty left today to pass the week end at her home in Waltham, Mass.

Tug Portsmouth is changing the color of her coat from black to green. This is the third color the Piscataqua Navigation Company's boats have borne. When new they were white.

Mrs. Perle P. Chick of the Wentworth primary school will attend the teachers' convention.

Walter S. Jackson of Stimson street has returned from a gunning trip down in Maine.

Edgar Burnham, who is employed in Lynn, was a recent visitor at his home in town.

Kittery Point

Kittery Point correspondent's telephone 297-5.

The marriage of Miss Rosa Belle Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Wilson, and Arthur Wallace Hutchins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Hutchins, was solemnized in Portsmouth Wednesday afternoon.

There was indeed a full house at the harvest supper given at the Free Baptist church Wednesday evening, and those attending were rewarded by a most delicious repast.

The P. D. Whist club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank E. Gatchell.

Chester T. Bliss, who recently left the eighth grade of the Horace Mitchell school, has passed examinations for the same grade in the West Malden grammar school, which maintains one of the highest standards of scholarship in Massachusetts. This speaks well for the work of the Mitchell school.

Mrs. Arthur L. Hutchins is confined to her home by illness.

James H. Walker has returned

from a successful gunning trip down in Maine.

The Goodwins of Jamaica Plains closed their summer home today.

Lawrence Grace of Portsmouth visited his mother, Mrs. Albert Fernald, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Susan Perry has returned from a visit in Alfred.

Ellen Horace Mitchell is in Boston today on business.

Mrs. Lewis E. Rice is seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. Ernest C. Tobey and children Vernon and Catherine left Wednesday for a visit in Cambridge.

Mrs. Mary M. Nichols of Cambridge, Mass., who has been visiting Mrs. Mabel J. Coes, left Wednesday for a stay in Amesbury before returning home.

Mrs. Julia Tobey has returned from a month's visit in Farmington, Me.

George W. McCoy left today for Ogdensburg, N. Y., where he was called by the serious illness of his father.

Mrs. Harold Wakefield of Haverhill, Mass., who has been visiting Capt. and Mrs. Edgar M. Frisbee, has left for Biddeford.

Schooner Wesley Abbott finished discharging her cargo of coal at Frisbee's wharf this afternoon.

A meeting of the Kittery Point Fire Department will be held this evening in Golden Cross Hall.

HONOR DEAD NAVY HEROES

Washington, Oct. 28.—The memory of five naval heroes is to be commemorated by the navy department in giving to the five new torpedo boat destroyers authorized by Congress the names of the dead officers.

At ready the United States has a list of 26 heroes after whom torpedo boat destroyers and torpedo boats have been named. To these the department will add the names of the following naval heroes:

Rear Admiral Daniel Ammen, who took a prominent part in the operations along the Atlantic coast during the Civil war especially in attacks on Fort McAllister and Fort Sumter, in 1863, while in command of the U. S. S. Patuxent.

Lieut. John Trippe, who performed distinguished services with the squadron in the engagements before Tripoli in 1804.

Capt. Daniel T. Patterson, who commanded the naval forces in New Orleans in 1814.

Rear Admiral Henry Walker who performed distinguished services during the Civil war in command of the U. S. S. Carondelet.

Ensign John P. Monaghan, who distinguished himself in an engagement with the natives in Samoa in 1899. In endeavoring to remove to the rear Lieut. Lonsdale, who had been wounded, he himself was killed.

COMES TO PORTSMOUTH

George Garland, cashier at the local office of the American Express company at Dover, has been transferred to this city to a similar but more lucrative position with the same company, under Manager Joe Fenderson, formerly manager of the Dover office.

OFF TO THE FARM

Officer Frank West took Frank Slavin from the lower court and another prisoner from the superior court to the county farm today.

Have you tried the Electrical Method of cleaning House? The Everson Vacuum Cleaner does the work perfectly.

PRICE
\$65.00

Sample at our office will be rented for \$3.00 per day.

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**ROCKINGHAM COUNTY
LIGHT & POWER CO**

J. S. Whitaker, Supt.

WAITING AT THE HOTEL

Wicked Sailors Caused Postponement Last Night of a Wedding

One of the crew of the U. S. S. Wisconsin says a joke is a joke, but the game played on him on Wednesday night was something that will cost any man's good nature to the limit and put him to the bad.

The sailor in question had prepared to join hands forever with his sweetheart in this city last evening, who he was to meet in a hotel. The prospective bride arrived on time and, not finding her boy, who sails the briny deep, on hand, grew a bit nervous.

Messengers were dispatched to all quarters and the telephone wires got hot immediately, while the fair maid at the hotel became more and more excited every minute.

Willing hands rushed to her side and extended sympathy, but their kind words were of no avail and she finally dropped away in a faint. Ten o'clock came and no sailor appeared

and nobody could locate him in the city or across the big bridge.

The broken-hearted and waiting maid finally gave up in despair and was satisfied that she had been side-tracked by her sailor boy.

Further investigation today brought out the fact that her sailor boy was not untrue to her, but that he was the victim of his shipmates in a plan to delay the wedding, which they did in elegant style by arranging so he could not get off the ship until late and when he did he found that his civilian rig of "glad rags" was missing and there was nothing left for him to do but go and square himself with his lady love.

It took some time to do the job, but he managed to pull through and set another date for tonight, when it is certain that not even the marine guard of the ship could keep the sailor off from his soul mate.

EVENTS OF ELIOT COLORED SAILORS DANCED

Aged Woman Sustained a Bad accident

Items Concerning Three of the Eliot Churches

Eliot, Me., Oct. 28. Miss Ellen Brooks of Bolt hill had her collar bone badly broken on Wednesday afternoon by a fall from the cellar stairs in the nearby Levi Brooks house where Albert Higley recently moved. She was working at getting the place ready for a new tenant. As Miss Brooks is well along in years the injury is regarded as serious.

A team from Kittery and one from Eliot may play football on the Congregational church lot Friday afternoon. There are some high school boys in the prospective Eliot team and some Academy boys in Kittery team.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKenney.

Burgess Abbott is confined to the house by an attack of rheumatism.

This is house cleaning day at the South Eliot Methodist church and at the Congregational church. Good numbers of the women of the parishes are engaged in putting the houses of worship in spick and span condition.

Rev. William B. Eldridge, pastor of the East Eliot Methodist church gave a paper on Wednesday afternoon at the Eliot, Kittery and York Sunday school convention at North Kittery. The Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. Moses E. Goodwin, also attended the convention.

There was a good attendance at the East Eliot Methodist church Wednesday evening when a concert was given by the Amphion Trio from South Berwick. Miss Linnie Hill, soprano; Mrs. Fred Blaisdell, contralto; Mr. J. B. Whitehead, tenor; and the accompanist, Mr. E. C. Cloutman. The entertainment was very pleasing. The circle gave a supper to the entertainers and conducted a sale of sandwiches, cake and coffee.

Stratford Staples is working at Greenland, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Leavitt started today for California where they will spend the winter at Mojave.

GOOD FOR THE
WIRELESS MAN

Marconi Quickness in Disposing of the Louisiana Boxer

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 28.—Electrician Phillips of the wireless station at the navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., knocked out Sherman of the battleship Louisiana in a hot contest last night in the navy yard sail boat race. Sherman was knocked down seven times, finally staying down for the count.

SUPERIOR COURT

The case of Burrill versus Alexander and others is still on trial in superior court and is expected to keep the court occupied until some time Friday.

The colored sailors of the battleship New Hampshire gave a dance at the Rehearsal hall on Wednesday evening.

Colored people were present from Portsmouth, Portland, Boston, and intervening cities in good numbers and the hall was packed the doors. This was the largest affair of the kind in this city for many years, and perhaps in the whole history of social events in Portsmouth.

There was a long order of dances and it was well into the small hours of the morning when the night's pleasure closed.

Music was by Caswell's orchestra, six pieces.

The officers in charge of the dance were, R. S. Anderson, president; R. A. King, floor manager; J. Shanklin, sergeant at arms.

The committee of arrangements is, Edward Brockell, R. S. Anderson, R. A. King, W. King.

The decorations committee was J. Shanklin, George Brown, William Dyson, James H. Tarr, C. W. Woods.

The other members of the colored sailors association are W. W. Swiggett, J. B. Briscoe, T. White, James E. Weston, P. Royner, P. M. Williams, W. Grayson, J. T. Wyt, J. M. Storck, F. D. Oliver, C. H. Booker, A. Banks, T. Ridgeley, A. S. Mantley, O. F. Wilson, T. Cassell, W. Washington, W. H. Roddick, A. J. Clay, J. R. L. Johnson.

The order of dances was:

Grand March 8:30 "Chicago Tribune" Two Step Yarnia Yarnia Man Two Step

It looks like a big night tonight Schottische Good evening Caroline Waltz If you were mine That loving ray Come and join us Two step Meet me in rose time, Rosie Something new N. H. Quartet Waltz

Make a noise like a hoop and roll away Schottische Lonebone Polka Gee, I wish I had a girl Waltz You are always the same intermission

Two step Merry Widow Waltz Somebody loves me I know Two step Madeline intermission N. H. Quartet Two step Coon Cade Waltz Merry Widow Two step Take your hands away Waltz U. S. N. Schottische Lonebone Darn Dance Good night

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Hosiery, Underwear and Gloves.

The New Fall Goods in Large Assortments.

Look over your requirements in the lines of Hosiery, Knit Underwear and Gloves, then come to our store and fill your wants to your utmost satisfaction.

The new goods are on display ready for your inspection and choosing.

Knit Underwear for the cold weather in many weights and styles. The Union as well as the single garments in all sizes and prices.

The Hosiery too are in all weights, as are the Gloves. Fancy Hosiery and Gloves for dress wear, as well as the heavier kind for street wear.

You will be well pleased if you let us fit you out in the quality of the goods as well as in the lowness of the price, as we are starting off with unusual low prices to start quick buying.

HOSIERY.

- Ladies' Heavy Weight Cotton Hose, double sole, high spliced heel, fast black.... 25c pair
- Ladies' Fleeced Hose, Wayne knit, fast black..... 25c pair
- Ladies' Embroidered Hose, variety of patterns in Lisle and Cotton..... 50c pair
- Ladies' Black and Tan Hose, double soles and high spliced heels, Maco Cotton..... 3 pairs for \$1.00
- Ladies' Ingrain Hose, fast black medium cotton..... 3 pairs for \$1.00
- Ladies' Heavy Cotton Black Onyx Hose..... 50c pair
- Ladies' Heavy Lisle Hose, fast black, flare top..... 27 1/2c pair
- Children's Hose, fine or heavy rib, good wearing qualities..... 12 1/2c pair
- Children's Pony Ribbed Hose, heavy weight..... 25c pair
- Infants' Cashmere Hose, silk heel and toe..... 25c pair
- Men's Blue and Black Wool Hose..... 25c pair
- Men's Fast Black Shawknit Hose, medium or heavy weight..... 25c pair
- Men's Black Silk Hose, Phoenix brand, something new..... 50c pair
- Men's Black and Tan Medium Weight Cotton Hose..... 12 1/2c pair

GLOVES.

- Fleece Lined Fur Top Kid Mittens..... 50c pair
- Boys' Fleece Lined Gloves..... 50c pair
- Ladies' Kid Gloves, 2-clasp overseam in Tan, Gray, Black and Mode, at..... \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 pair
- P. K. Gloves, Black, white embroidery, two white clasps..... \$1.50 pair
- Tan P. K. Gloves, 1-clasp, a nice Glove for street wear..... \$1.00 pair
- Suede Gloves, 3-clasp, all shades of Tan..... \$1.00 pair

GLOVES—Continued.

- Kid Gloves, 2-clasp overseam, Glace in Red, Blue and Green..... \$1.50 pair
- P. K. White Gloves, 1-clasp, for street wear..... \$1.00 pair
- Chamois Gloves, 1-clasp, White and Natural, spear point back..... \$1.00 pair
- Bacmo Cape Gloves, 1-clasp, Tan and Black..... \$1.00 pair
- Bacmo Gloves, 1-clasp, Tan only, spear point back, a fine wearing Glove..... \$1.50 pair
- Mocha Gloves, silk lined, Tan and Gray..... \$1.00 pair
- Mocha Gloves, unlined, 1-clasp, Gray..... \$1.50 pair
- Children's Gloves in Cape, all shades of Tan..... \$1.00 pair
- Children's Silk Lined Mocha Mittens..... 50c pair

UNDERWEAR.

- Ladies' Fleeced Lined Vests and Pants, White or Unbleached..... 25c each
- Ladies' Fleeced Vests and Pants, White or Ecra, fine grade of cotton..... 50c each
- Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits in White, high neck, ankle length..... 75c each
- Ladies' Union Suits, heavy cotton, fleeced or plain, short or long sleeve, ankle length..... \$1.00 each
- Ladies' Merino Union Suits, long sleeves, ankle length..... \$1.50 and \$2.00 each
- Wool and Silk and Wool Union Suits..... \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$2.50 per garment
- Ladies' Fine Merino Vests, high neck, long sleeves..... 75c and \$1.00
- Silk and Wool Vests, fine grades..... \$1.00 and \$1.50
- Misses' Merino Vests and Drawers..... 50c and 60c
- Misses' Fleeced Lined Vests and Drawers..... 25c each
- Misses' Fleeced Cotton Union Suits..... 75c
- Misses' Merino Union Suits..... \$1.00

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns—Fall Style Sheets Ready—November Style Book 20c, including a 15c Pattern.

Geo. B. French Co

NAVY ORDERS

Captain W. C. Cowles to command the Hancock.

Commander A. W. Grant from chief of staff Atlantic fleet to command the Connecticut.

Lieutenant Commander A. D. Hoff from Portsmouth yard to duty as executive officer of the Michigan.

Lieutenant Commander J. F. Hubbard, inspector of equipment and ordnance at Portsmouth.

Lieutenant D. P. Wickersham to the New Orleans.

Lieutenant B. Y. Rhodes and Midshipmen C. M. Yates and E. B. Buck to the Navajo.

Midshipmen A. D. Denny, C. D. Price and W. A. Lee, Jr., to the New Orleans.

Passed Assistant Surgeon C. T. Grayson from medical school hospital at Washington, to the Mayflower, changing places with Surgeon J. H. Dykes.

Paymaster A. M. Phipps to settle accounts at Puget Sound yard.

Paymaster C. W. Phipps, Jr., to wall orders at Philadelphia yard.

Paymaster S. L. Bollen to wall orders at New Orleans station.

Paymaster K. C. McIntosh from Newport training station to Philadelphia yard.

Passed Assistant Paymaster J. M. Hancock to Boston navy yard.

Assistant Paymaster P. Baldwin to the Yorktown.

Assistant Paymaster T. R. Le Compté resignation accepted.

Arrived—Samar of Hongkong; Debuque of Guantano; Albany of San Francisco; Mississippi of New Orleans; MacDonough, Thornton, Tier and Wilkes at Memphis, Tenn.

Sailed—Justin and Isis from San Francisco for Magdalena Bay.

eng. sopho on "Superintendent's Problems." The president's address was given by Rev. E. D. Stiles of Atton who was followed by Fred Z. Williams Kemp, principal of Kingston academy.

"The Heaven of Personal Influence," was the subject of the address of Rev. Arthur Ward Bailey of Keene in the evening. The closing speaker was Rev. Marcus E. Duff of Boston.

The principal business will be transacted during today.

Rev. Frank H. Gardner of Portsmouth will conduct the quiet hour this afternoon.

The convention will close at nine o'clock tonight.

FIRST NAVY HEAD

Tablet Memorial Placed on His Old House at Providence

Providence, Oct. 28.—The Book Hopkins house on Admiral street, the home of Rhode Island's first naval leader and at the outbreak of the revolution commander-in-chief of America's infant navy, was marked on Wednesday afternoon with a tablet by the Rhode Island historical society, many prominent members of the society, as well as of the Sons of the American Revolution, who were especially invited, being present. The address was delivered by Hon. Nathan W. Littlefield.

RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF EASTERN LEAGUE

New York, Oct. 28.—Patrick T. Powers was re-elected president of the Eastern baseball league at a meeting of the league Wednesday. When the club owners gathered in session at the hotel Victoria, all opposition to Mr. Powers' continuance in the office was withdrawn, and his reelection was unanimous.

Thus the expected possible deadlock over the presidency, for which the candidates in opposition to Powers were aspirants, did not materialize.

FILLING UNCLE SAM'S PURSE

Washington, Oct. 28.—Receipts from internal revenue reported on Wednesday reached \$891,677, which is a jump of over \$500,000 over the corresponding date last year. So far this month's receipts have increased \$1,428,637, over the same period a year ago, and the receipts have now run \$4,385,000 more since July 1 last than for the same period of the last fiscal year.

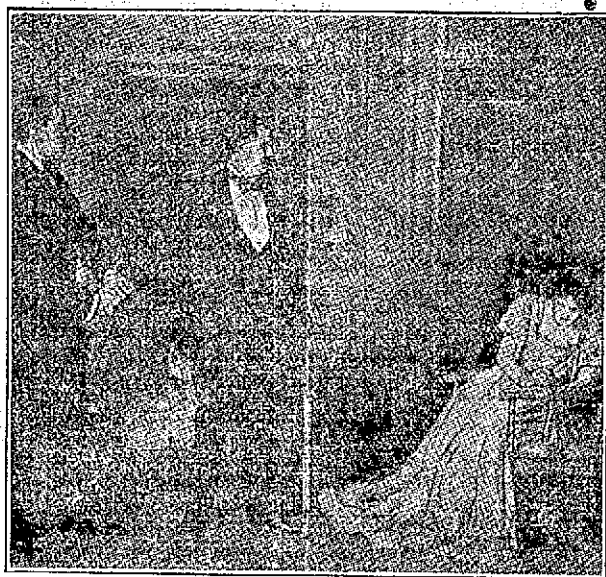
Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it.

Theatrical Topics of the Day.

The Personality of Bernstein

Henry Bernstein, the well-known author of "The Thief" which is announced for presentation by Charles Frohman at the Music Hall next Wednesday is an interesting revelation on the notion that our modern existence is deplorably leveling and destructive of the marked individual types which are so plentiful and so diverting in more leisurely days.

His play, "The Thief," has established him as the most inventive and the most resourceful of modern playwrights. He has the finest sense for almost mathematically built climaxes of any present day writer for the stage, yet he is anything but practically or essentially inclined. Rather is he a mystic with a sharp eye for observing human nature, but personally more subject to extra human influences than any other person who comes



SCENE FROM "THE THIEF"

Mr. Bernstein, it seems, while scarcely "a character," immediately impresses even "the man in the street" by his personality, which is one of fine distinction. He is a man of splendid presence and polished manners, and his friends say that he expends as much thought upon the cut of his clothes or the turn of a cravat, as upon the arrangement of an act or the drawing of a character.

STATE COLLEGE

The fifteenth annual dairy school of the New Hampshire college will open Tuesday, Jan. 4, and close Friday, March 11. Students should present themselves for registration at Thompson hall the first day of the session. Lectures and laboratory work begin the following day.

The school is open to men and women sixteen years of age and upward. No entrance examination is required. However, in order to make the best use of the instruction, the student should have a good common school education. The experiences of previous years have shown that the subject in which the student is most deficient is arithmetic, especially percentages and decimals. Each of these divisions of arithmetic are used to a large extent in solving problems in the creamery and also in computing rations for the dairy cow. It is, therefore, well for those planning to take the dairy course to review these subjects before entering. To be most benefited by the school, the students should have had some practical experience on a farm or in a creamery.

Instruction in the dairy course is given by lectures, recitations, and by laboratory work in the dairy and creamery. The course is made as practical as possible, and the instruction is planned so as to meet the needs of two classes of students.

OLDEST PENSIONER

James E. McGregor of Newport Has That Distinction

The annual report of the United States commissioners of pensions is an interesting document and shows that a resident of New Hampshire is the oldest survivor of all wars of the pension roll. He is the venerable James E. McGregor of Newport, who recently celebrated his 108th birthday, and who is still in good health.

There are only two survivors of the Mexican war, now 94 years of age. The oldest survivors of the Civil war next to Mr. McGregor are one, 107 years of age; one, 103; seven, 98; five, 97; six, 96, and four, 95.

The total number of survivors of the Civil war at the close of the year ending June 30 was 533,361. In the course of the year 23,831 pensioners died. The total number of pensioners on the rolls of the department is 531,537.

The pensioners who reside in New Hampshire received in the year \$1,266,182.34. Texas which didn't furnish a man for the Union army, received \$1,274,792.51. This was true to the fact that many northern soldiers have taken up their residence

under his own misanthropic eye. Thus he will never, it is narrated, content himself with a name for one of his plays until he has found one of six letters or less. He is sure no success can come to any of his plays if the title, aside from an article, an adjective, or some other qualifying word, contains more than six letters. The original title of "The Thief"—"Le Voleur"—accordingly delighted him.

In Texas since the close of the war. The largest amount of money for pensions is distributed in Ohio where soldiers received last year over \$16,000,000. Pennsylvania pensioners received over \$15,000,000; New York, \$13,000,000; Illinois, \$11,000,000; Michigan, \$7,000,000; Kansas, \$7,000,000, and Massachusetts, \$6,000,000.

According to the report, pensioners living in Canada draw a total of \$451,000; England, \$63,000; Germany, \$95,000; Ireland, \$78,000; Scotland, nearly \$15,000, and Switzerland, \$10,000. The total amount paid for pensions outside of the United States is \$563,007.88.

LOOKING AT THEIR FEET

A fashion writer asserts that four out of five women now wear buttoned shoes, but an observing reporter of a local paper not the Herald, is prepared to make oath that this is not true of Portsmouth women.

Who took this census?

The Herald is read by everybody who is interested in the affairs of the town.

CONTROL YOUR FAT

One can now take off and keep off extra fat, at will. If you have an over-fat abdomen or double chin you can clear it away completely without a minute's bother, exercising or dieting. Take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime of this mixture: 1-2 oz. Marmola, 1-2 oz. Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 2-2 oz. Peppermint Water—any druggist has them—and go on eating as best pleases you; don't worry about results.

The double chin and ponderous stomach will soon show signs of melting away. They will not sag in or wrinkle, however; just go down nice and smooth and even. That effect is due to the harmless natural action of the mixture.

This is explained as follows: Bile overflows to the stomach. It is getting lazy. Instead of making energy and muscles from your food, it is manufacturing fat. This above mixture corrects this defect and hence it makes you stronger and healthier at the same time. It is taking off or you 32 to 48 ounces of useless fat a day. The reason it effects double chin, hips, etc., first is because the fat on them is softer and can not resist the remedy as long as that on the limbs. But eventually all the fat has to go if you keep up the treatment.

DOVER DOINGS

Dover, Oct. 27.—At St. Thomas' Episcopal church on Wednesday afternoon, Miss Nancy Chappell daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Chappell of this city, was married to George Percs of East Rochester by Rev. W. Weir Gillies. The couple were accompanied by their parents and the bride's parents on Watson street. They will live at East Rochester.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Adams, widow of Maj. Enoch G. Adams, was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Col. Marshal James B. Adams, her son, on Central avenue, Bay. Dr. Roscoe E. Sanderson conducted the services. The bearers were Charles G. Smart, Alphonso Clark, Edward L. Currier and Byron F. Hayes. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in Pine Hill cemetery.

Dover council, Knights of Columbus, held a meeting on Wednesday evening when preparations for the coming parade in connection with St. Mary's fair were made. The local knights will turn out a full delegation to represent the order in the parade in which the Catholic orders of this city, Somersworth, Rochester and Salina Falls will participate.

Next Sunday evening at the Unitarian church there will be a vesper service and a fine musical program has been prepared for the event. Mrs. Willis McHugh of Rochester will be organ soloist and she will be assisted by Erlon Negel, alto, orchestra, as violinist. The pastor, Rev. W. C. Adams will deliver a short address.

Ernest P. Pinkham and Miss Grace Jacobs, two well-known and popular young people of this city, were united in marriage by City Clerk Fred J. Quimby at his office in the city building, Monday evening. The groom is employed in the cost system at the Kidder Press and the bride was formerly employed in the Pacific Mills. Mr. and Mrs. Pinkham have a host of friends who extend to them the best wishes for happiness in their new life. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Pinkham will take up their residence on Pierce street.

The Arcade bowling team of this city met its first defeat of the season in the Trolley league on Tuesday evening at the hands of the Arcade team of Portsmouth, who won three of the four points and defeated the local rollers by fifty-four pins. Dover won the second string. Total pin fall was as follows: Portsmouth, 1357; Dover, 1302. Lislestrom of Portsmouth was high man with a total of 268 and Renner of the same team was second high with 232. The match game attracted a large crowd of spectators and the games will undoubtedly prove to be very popular.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Mary's church on Wednesday, when James Clark and Miss Della Cunningham, two popular young people of this city, were joined in the happy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Maurice Redden and was witnessed by relatives and friends of the couple. Charles A. Clarkson from Portsmouth has taken charge of "The Fashion" store.

John A. Glidden of Dover was chosen grand marshal general of the supreme council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the United States of America which closed its 102d annual meeting in New York on Wednesday.

THE WATER FRONT

Part of Portsmouth, Oct. 28

Latest Arrivals.

Schooner Gardiner G. Deering, 1000, Philadelphia Oct. 22, with 340 tons of coal to the Ameskeag Manufacturing company.

Tug M. Mitchell Davis, Hoyt, York, Me., towing barge Newmarket, 101 Boston, with brick.

Tug Portsmouth, Perkins, Boston.

Cleared.

Schooner Wesley Abbott, Jordan Ellsworth, Me., to load slaves for Boncourt, N. Y.

Sailed.

Schooner Adella (British), from Boston for St. John, N. B.

Schooner Arthur J. Parker (British), from St. John, N. B., for Boston.

Tug Ira, towing schooner Lizzie J. Tall, from Elizabethport for Exeter.

Schooner Carrie A. Buchanan, Perkins, Hoboken, N. J., for Camden, Me., with coal.

PITTSBURGH DRAFTS PITCHER CUTTING

Franklin, Oct. 28.—Ralph Cutting the well known baseball twirler, is visitor in this city.

Cutting was drafted from the Brooklyn, New England league into the world's champion team at Pittsburgh, and his many friends here are hoping that he makes good with the champions next spring. Pittsburgh carried a staff of fifteen pitchers this season, but left handers were scarce with the team. For that reason, this clever young southpaw is expected to be allowed an unusual opportunity to make good with the king ball blue of the earth. If he is not given a place on the team this coming season, it is anticipated that he will be turned out to some other league team and recalled later by Pittsburgh when there is an opening for him.

NEW HAMPSHIRE HORTICULTURAL

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AT DARTMOUTH

A shro horticultural society opened in the town hall building here on Wednesday and continues through today and Friday. In connection with this is the fifth annual fair of Peterboro grange, and the presentation of the comedy drama, "The Country Minister" by local talent.

The exercises began at two o'clock in the afternoon, and among the speakers were Hon. H. O. Hadley, master of the New Hampshire state grange; C. C. Shaw of Milford, president of the Horticultural society; C. J. Batchelder of Wilton, F. A. Badger of Belmont, J. C. Piper of Stratham, George P. Powell of Gilest, N. Y., and E. C. Hirst, state forester of Concord, the two latter speaking in the evening.

BAD BOYS ROUNDED UP

Manchester Police Have Gathered in a Gang of Seven

Manchester, Oct. 28.—The police believe that they have put a stop to the series of bicycle thefts which have been occurring about the city for months past through the arrest of seven boys and the recovery of a stack of stolen wheels that filled half the standing room at police headquarters.

The boys are Joseph Rouillard, 13; Perry Hamel, 11, Ernest Collins, 13, Polycarp Cole, 16, Adelpard April, 16, Rodolph Phillibert, 14, and Leo June, 15.

All seven are charged with stealing bicycles and the first four are also charged with breaking and entering Melvin's store last Sunday and stealing candy.

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A by shift has been made in the Dartmouth line, whereby Sherrin and Laug are both dropped from the first team. Capt. Tobin has been taken from guard and put at tackle. Needham going from center to the other tackle. Johnson, the big substitute guard, went into the place last vacant by Tobin, and Farnum still remains the other guard. Dingle was chosen for center, making an almost new line as far as the men playing the positions goes.

All the work Wednesday afternoon was behind locked gates. The coaches believe the change is for the best, as the line showed up better today than at any time this season. For the first time in a practice scrimmage the line was unable to withstand solidly the fierce attack of the freshman backs.

The varsity, as reorganized, and the freshman had two sessions of twenty-five minutes each, during which time the first team scored three touchdowns. The practice scrimmage was about the best this year and was a source of satisfaction to the coaches.

J. C. O'Connor '02, who coached Dartmouth for the last two seasons, was on the field and worked wonders with the ends and backs. Dr. O'Connor will probably stay out the week.

Greenwood, who was in at right half in place of Ryan, was put at drop kicking. He was fairly successful, making good five out of nine times. Dudley's punting was better than usual. He got off several kicks for 15 yards and more, with good direction and time.

The varsity squad was out for the last time, only 42 men remaining on the list out of a former total of 60. Johnson was taken on the training table at dinner last night. Training was one of the longest of the season. The men could hardly see the ball at the end of the practice on account of the approaching darkness.

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DEALING WITH LITTLE CROOKS

Importers Forced to Be Dishonest, They Say

MEN HIGHER UP UNKNOWN

New York Merchants Gouged For Years by Graft in Customs Service Because They Had to Get Shipments Into Their Warehouses—Four Weighers Who Confessed and Gave Evidence Are to Hold Their Jobs

New York, Oct. 28.—Importers and merchants who have been held up for years by the grafting of customs house inspectors and weighers told The Sun that the whole customs service in this city is rotten from the bottom upward.

How far the rotteness extends few of them could guess, because the system of robbing the government through false weights and returns and collecting bribes for prompt service forced the importers to deal only with little crooks. Only the little crooks ran around on the edge of a wheel of graft, taking the name of a fruit for a password and doing business coarsely in the back rooms of waterside bars.

Who lay quietly in the centre of the wheel and along the spokes, taking a fat share of the blackmail the little crooks collected, is a matter which interests men who have been forced for years, they say, to be dishonest themselves in order to get their shipments handled by the petty officials of the customs house.

The small importers and the customs house brokers say that they are eager to know who benefits most by the practice in the customs service of corrupting importers and seducing them to break the law. Scores of merchants who deal in imported goods have been gouged for years by the graft system in the customs service. They have submitted to it, they explain, because they had to get their shipments into their warehouses and strict honesty was not possible with many customs men. It took cash in the hand and a smiling acquiescence in grand larceny to enable them to keep their heads above water in an unfair business competition brought about by the grafting in the service.

It takes a grafter to catch a grafter, said Collector Loch, in an official statement issued last night, and Federal Judge Holt's opinions to the contrary notwithstanding, the four weighers who confessed and gave evidence for the trial of Philip Musca and his father, cheese importers, are to hold their jobs.

Judge Holt, before disposing of the case, which resulted in the elder man's acquittal and the son's incarceration in the Tombs for sentence, denounced the retention of the four weighers as a discredit to the government and an injustice to the honest men in the service.

Mr. Loeb quickly said in reply: "The views of such a distinguished judge are entitled to highest respect, but it seems to me that Judge Holt can hardly have understood the situation with which the administration had to deal."

"The choice between keeping four dishonest men in the service, where they could easily be watched, or allowing a great many dishonest men to remain in the service and have them and all the corrupt merchants who have bribed them escape punishment."

LED POSSE AFTER BOOTH

Death of Man Who Played Important Part in Great Tragedy

Lafayette, Ind., Oct. 28.—James Lucas, aged 39, who was guard at the old capital prison in Washington during the Civil war and played an important part in the capture of J. Wilkes Booth, slayer of Abraham Lincoln, died in this city.

On the night President Lincoln was assassinated Lucas was on duty. He was the leader of the posse that followed Booth. When the slayer of the president was killed and his body returned to Washington it was Lucas who was appointed to guard it. He watched the body in the prison and on a gurney after the body had been removed from the prison under cover of darkness. Later he was on the staff of officers who held the conspirators over the remaining conspirators.

Women Like Polygamy
San Francisco, Oct. 28.—"The women are more anxious for polygamy than the men are," said Bishop Spalding of Utah at a convocation of the Episcopal diocese in this city. The bishop said that so long as woman suffrage prevailed in Utah it would be absolutely impossible to establish laws that would result in the abolition of polygamy.

Texas Oil Men Fined
Austin, Oct. 28.—Judge Calhoun of the United States district court assessed the Security Oil company with penalties of \$50 a day from July 23, 1903, to Nov. 6, 1907, for violation of the anti-trust laws. The fine aggregates \$75,000. The charter was cancelled and the company perpetually enjoined from doing business in the state.

MYSTERIOUS MURDERS

They May Eventually Be Fastened on Supposed "Bluebeard"

New York, Oct. 28.—Frederick Gebhardt, alias Mueller, the self-confessed Ishly murderer, may have a better claim on the title "Bluebeard" than the one murder would warrant, according to a statement made by Captain Coughlin of the Brooklyn detective force.

Two other mysterious murders of women are to be investigated before the prisoner is put on trial for his life, and in view of his matrimonial career the police believe that two and possibly three additional cases where women mysteriously disappeared will be cleared up.

Captain Coughlin said: "Gebhardt admitted enough to put several new clues at our command, and we hope to get further admissions from him as soon as we have followed these clues up."

THE AMERICA'S CUP

New York Yachtmen Think Race Will Be Arranged For 1911

New York, Oct. 28.—Sir Thomas Lipton is amused at the statement that he will build a yacht in Canada and challenge through a Canadian club for a race for the America's cup. The report has grown so that he thinks it well to contradict it at once. He is here to arrange a race, if possible, through one of his own clubs, the Royal Yacht club, and not to become some Canadian club.

Sir Thomas has already met some of the members of the New York Yacht club and he has talked of cup affairs, but what progress he has made is a secret. The opinion is growing among yachtmen that some way will be found so that a race for 1911 will be assured.

TOWN'S LIABILITY MATTER OF DEBATE

Framingham Worried Over the Forged Note Problem

Framingham, Mass., Oct. 28.—The question of the town's liability in connection with the note forgeries recently discovered is still a matter of debate here. A statement attributed to Town Counsel Adams on this point and naming a sum as a limit of the town's liability is declared erroneous, Adams' opinion, as read at a meeting of the board of trade, having been that the town could not be held liable for any notes issued in excess of amounts authorized by the town.

According to the town records, notes amounting to \$270,000 have been authorized and \$166,937.50 in legitimate notes has been sold in the past two years, but the liability of the town for the difference, \$104,072.50, in connection with the forged notes, it is believed, is a question for the courts to decide.

ROW OVER POLICE BOARD

Mayor Brown's Flight May Be Carried to the Supreme Court

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 28.—Mayor Brown of Lowell is evidently to take every legal step within his power in favor of the police board which he appointed soon after assuming his office. The board removed by the mayor consisted of F. K. Stearns, G. H. Hanson and T. P. Dolger.

Soon after their removal they filed a petition for a review of his case, and on Aug. 19 the request was granted by Judge Dana. On Oct. 7 the judge handed down a decision in which he revoked the act of the mayor and restored the old board to office.

William W. Duncan, city solicitor of Lowell, filed with the clerk of courts yesterday a bill of exceptions to Dana's finding and the case is expected to go before the supreme court.

Taft For Second Term

Vorys Predicts That He Will Surely Be Renominated and Elected

Baltimore, Oct. 28.—Arthur I. Vorys, who was President Taft's manager in Ohio during the campaign, is in Baltimore on legal business. He expressed the opinion that the president will surely be renominated and elected.

"The demonstration which has been accorded the president in the east," said Vorys, "is proof of his popularity and is a sure indication of his renomination and re-election. The country appreciates the breadth of his views and the nobleness of his nature. He has fewer enemies than any president, probably, in our history. His political strength will grow with years."

Rear Admiral Kidder Dead
Barnstable, Mass., Oct. 28.—Medical Director Benjamin H. Kidder, U. S. N., retired, died at his summer home here. He was retired from the service in January, 1908, with the rank of rear admiral and had since made his home in Malden.

Booth Again in the Harness
London, Oct. 28.—General Booth has resumed his activities, appearing for the first time since he underwent an operation at a meeting of Salvationists at Clapton. He has lost completely the use of one eye and the other is imperfect.

AT POINT OF THE BAYONET

Zelaya Will Be Forced From the Presidency

ULTIMATUM OF ESTRADA

Present Head of Nicaraguan Government Declared to Be Destroyer of Society and Menace to Civilization—Many Prominent Liberal Leaders Join in Movement to Overthrow Administration Which Is Unpopular

Bluefields, Nicaragua, (By wireless to Colon), Oct. 28.—Friends of President Zelaya in the interior lately sent a telegram to General Estrada, who has declared himself provisional president, condemning his action in heading a revolution. Following is Estrada's reply, in which he voices the intense spirit of general dissatisfaction with Zelaya's misrule:



PRESIDENT ZELAYA.

"Your telegram received. We are sure of victory. We fight not against Nicaraguans nor the Liberals. We seek the sole solution of the deplorable situation prevailing in the country."

"If Zelaya will resign power we will lay down our arms at once. Not having honor or patriotism he will not do this, and we will arrive at Managua and force him from the presidency, which he so discredits, at the point of the bayonet."

"He destroys society, and menaces civilization. We will fight against our brothers and fathers if the welfare of the nation so requires. This is our irrevocable decision."

In addition to the name of Estrada, the telegram bears the signatures of many other prominent liberal leaders who have joined him in an effort to overthrow an administration which has crippled Nicaragua.

A majority of the government troops who were defeated in the engagements at San Carlos have joined General Chamorro, one of the rebel commanders, who is guarding the coast from attack by way of the San Juan valley.

NICARAGUAN MINISTER OUT

Espinosa Resigns Because of Sympathy With Provisional Government

Washington, Oct. 28.—Rodolfo Espinosa, minister from Nicaragua to the United States, has resigned. Espinosa learned that his younger brother, Amelio, was acting as general minister of the provisional government, set up by the revolutionists.

The minister cabled to Zelaya urging a prompt acceptance of his resignation. The president immediately accepted the resignation, and yesterday Espinosa presented the secretary of the legation, Felipe Rodriguez, as charge d'affaires. In Acting Secretary Wilson of the state department.

ELOPES WITH ITALIAN

Daughter of Railroad Man Weds Officer in Marine Corps

Baltimore, Oct. 28.—J. V. McNeal, fourth vice president and treasurer of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, was startled when he received word from his daughter Mary that she had been married at noon Wednesday to Lieutenant Robert Titton of the United States Marine Corps.

McNeal repaired in a rather unpleasant humor to the Belvedere hotel, where the couple had adjourned for luncheon, but he did not see them. They were soon on their way north, and their bridal tour, it is said, will extend to Europe, where the lieutenant will present his bride to his parents, who live in Florence, Italy.

They were married in St. Ignace's Roman Catholic church here.

Hangs With Dog Collar
Bangus, Mass., Oct. 28.—Placing a dog's collar about his neck and slipping the leash ring in the collar over the knob of his bedpost, Charles Ricker, 17, hanged himself at the home of his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ricker. The cause of the deed is not known.

Chinese Hotel For Chicago
Chicago, Oct. 28.—Chicago will soon be the possessor of one of the finest hotels for Chinese in the United States. If plans of South Clark street merchants are carried out, the hotel will be six stories high and decorations will be exclusively Chinese.

ROBE OF LACE CURTAINS

Worn by "Divine" Healer Who Swindled Many Boston Negroes

Boston, Oct. 28.—William Burnett, a negro "divine" healer, was convicted by a jury on an indictment appearing him in eleven counts of larceny, and two counts of practicing medicine without a license, in the superior criminal court. He claimed to have had divine power and did a flourishing business among his people.

Mrs. William Coblin bought two charms from him to bring her good luck and prosperity. One of the charms was an ordinary rubber typewriter eraser. She paid \$35 for the charms. The defendant also blessed her home so as to drive the devil away.

William Coblin paid the defendant \$5 to get him employment. The healer told him to walk from the South Station to the North Station and if he did so he would get a job. William is still looking.

Warren Wiggin gave up \$10 to have a pain in his side cured. He was given a drink with an egg that made him feel so good that he had two more. Witness said that he had read the defendant's circulars and had great faith in him. He paid \$15 for a charm for luck and prosperity.

Burnett usually wore a robe of a priest, made of lace curtains. Burnett, who is 62 years old, was sentenced by Judge Crosby to not less than three nor more than four years in the state prison.

READY TO TALK BUSINESS

Johnson Arrives in New York Today For Chat With Jeffries

New York, Oct. 28.—Jack Johnson will arrive in town today from Chicago, prepared to talk business with James J. Jeffries in a personal interview. The negro is anxious for quick action as far as the formality of making a match is concerned, for he says that he will leave here in time to be in Chicago Sunday to begin a vaudeville engagement of a week's duration.

Johnson has been quoted as saying that Jeffries can name his own terms and the latter has stated that a 75 and 25 percent division of the purse would be fair to both. Jeffries admits that he will not be ready to fight for at least six months.

MURDERS HIS WIFE, TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

End of Unhappy Marriage of a Boston Couple

Boston, Oct. 28.—Irving W. Fletcher, conductor on the Boston Elevated, of 231 Dudley street, in a frenzy of jealousy, murdered his wife, Bertha, in front of suite 16, second floor of 26 Batavia street, where she had taken refuge from his abuse with a friend, Miss Anna Schorrin, and turned his revolver on himself, shooting his brains out.

The double shooting terminated three years of stormy married life during which the girl wife was several times obliged to flee to her mother. Mrs. Anna Richmond of Medford, to escape brutal treatment occasioned by the jealous persecution of a husband who had been forced to marry her.

During the past two weeks those persecutions became so violent that the girl wife, alone in Boston, her mother away in New Hampshire, was compelled to take her 3-year-old baby and leave the house.

"HONOR" IS SATISFIED

Cubans Fight a Duel in Which Neither of Them Is Scratched

Havana, Oct. 28.—President Gomez having accepted the resignations of Secretary of State Valez and Secretary of Sanitation Duque the two were left free to meet each other on the field of honor and they fought a duel. Four shots were exchanged. Neither of the combatants was hurt, but each declared that his honor was satisfied.

The meeting was the result of Valez administering Duque, when the city's garbage was not gathered at the time of the street cleaners' strike, that the danger of pestilence might provoke another intervention by the United States. Duque resented the action of Valez and challenged him to fight.

Thrilling Affair of Honor
Paris, Oct. 28.—Heard Harnstein, the dramatist, and Francis Chevasse, a dramatic critic, fought a duel with pistols at Prince Park. Neither was injured. Chevasse fired and missed, while Harnstein did not discharge his weapon. When he was asked later why he had not fired, the dramatist replied: "I forgot to."

Massachusetts Mills Curtailing
Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Pemberton and Everett mills of this city and the Methuen mills in Methuen will shorten their running time between Nov. 1 and Jan. 1 1909 hours. They represent about 70,000 spindles and employ 3000 operatives.

The Weather
Albany, Friday, Oct. 29.
Sun rises—6:14; sets—4:42.
Moon rises—5:25 p. m.
High water—11:15 a. m.; 11:45 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Fair, cooler; light to moderate west to north winds.

LORDS DEFIED BY ASQUITH

Premier Will Reject Irish Land Bill Amendments

ADJOURNMENT ON NOV. 5

Precludes General Election Before the New Year—Stupendous Amounts Involved in Measure Which Is Strongly Backed by United Irish League and Is Favorably Received by All Ireland, Landlords Alone Excepted

London, Oct. 28.—Premier Asquith announced in the House of commons that on Nov. 5 he would move for the rejection of the house of lords amendment to the Irish land bill.

The premier also stated that the house of commons would adjourn on Nov. 5 until Nov. 23. This precludes the possibility of a general election before the new year. During the adjournment of the lower house the budget will be in the hands of the lords.

The Irish land bill is of tremendous importance. When it is said that by this measure all estates and untenanted lands of Ireland are put into the power of a body of commissioners who may fix the price for their sale, it may be realized what the significance of the bill is. Stupendous amounts, also are involved. Under this bill loans for Irish land purchases amount to \$115,000,000, while recompense to landlords, etc., will raise the amount to nearly a billion dollars.

The terms of the measure are very interesting. For the purchase of land in the allotted districts it is necessary for the applicant in case he is refused sale by the holder to appeal to the estates commission, which is then authorized to take the land by compulsion, the price to be settled by the commission. This price, however, is subject to appeal to a higher board or land commission.

The jurisdiction of the estates commissioners comprises almost two-thirds of the island. The remainder, which embraces the whole of the five counties of Connaught, is under the dominion of the congested districts board, which may condemn land for sale to tenants upon demand. The board consists of nineteen members, of which nine are elected by the county councils of the counties within the board's jurisdiction. The bill is strongly backed by the United Irish League, and is favorably received by all Ireland, the landlords alone excepted.

As might be expected, however, the bill is opposed by the great land owners, who hold the whip hand in the house of lords. In this matter the British peers are standing behind their Irish compatriots, seeing in the radical measure for Ireland what may happen in England. In spite of this, however, the upper house voted for the principle of compulsion on the measure, but when it went into the committee stage it was very seriously modified.

TARIFF ACITATION

Cannon's Friends Fear That It Will Make Hard Road For Him

Helena, Ark., Oct. 28.—The ghost of President Taft's Boston speech praising Aldrich is haunting him. Speaker Cannon's friends now ask that Taft give him the same sort of a public certificate. They held a meeting on a steamboat of the president's Mississippi fleet and decided to urge Taft to say something in Cannon's favor before the deep waterway's cruise ends.

Some of the speaker's friends fear the tariff agitation is going to develop solely into a fight against Cannon and they would like to have a helpful word or two from the president. It is unlikely that the president will be drawn into any public expression on Cannon. The president's endorsing of Aldrich is the most unpopular thing he has done on his trip, and one experience undoubtedly will be enough.

Cholera Appears Near Antwerp
Washington, Oct. 28.—Henry L. Williams, the American minister at Brussels, reported to the state department that eight cases of cholera have been discovered near Antwerp. Six of these cases were fatal.

Hunter Shot by Boy Dies
York, Me., Oct. 28.—Death resulted from a gunshot wound received by Edward Moody, 34, while gunning with three boys. It was due principally to loss of blood from a severed artery in the left leg.

Twenty-Third Child Weighs 16 Pounds
Pittsboro, Pa., Oct. 28.—Mrs. Nito Vallone, 47 years old, has presented her husband, 51, with their twenty-third child. It is a boy weighing sixteen pounds, and will be named William Taft Vallone.

To Wed Niece of Roosevelt
New York, Oct. 28.—Joseph W. Alsop of Avon, Conn., obtained a license here to wed Cornelia D. Robinson, niece of former President Roosevelt. The wedding will take place Nov. 4.

DIRECTORS ARE RE-ELECTED

New Haven Road Stockholders Authorize New \$50,000,000 Stock Issue

New Haven, Oct. 28.—The stockholders of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad held a special meeting here and also an adjourned annual meeting. President Mollen presided at both meetings and all but three of the directors were present.

At the special meeting the board of directors was authorized to issue \$50,000,000 of new capital stock, making the total capitalization \$171,000,000. At the adjourned annual meeting the present board of directors was re-elected and John L. Billard was chosen a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Frank W. Cheney.

Somewhat of a stir was created when A. M. Miller called attention to an item in the profit and loss account showing a loss of about \$450,000. This, Mollen declared, was due to the sale of two trolley roads in Massachusetts which was compelled in that state by a decision of the supreme court. The roads were disposed of at the best figure obtainable, and the loss was charged off.

LEASES SUITE OF OFFICES

Destiny of Big Railroads Will Be in the Hands of Harriman's Widow

New York, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Mary A. Harriman, widow of Edward H. Harriman, and sole legatee of his estate, which makes her one of the wealthiest women in the world, will take charge of and personally direct the management of this great fortune of more than \$100,000,000 and possibly twice that amount.

Mrs. Harriman has leased offices at 475 Fifth avenue. Her offices will occupy the greater part of the second floor. She is the largest individual stockholder in the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads, the Wells Fargo Express company and a large stockholder in many other corporations.

While the details of the management of these properties will be left to others, it will be Mrs. Harriman at one end of the telephone who will give orders on important matters.

HUGHES MENTIONED FOR HIGHEST COURT

Recent Remarks of President Taft Are Recalled

Washington, Oct. 28.—Governor Hughes of New York may have the successorship to Associate Justice Rufus W. Peckham of the supreme court, if he wants the position. This is stated positively here.

During the celebration at Lake Champlain President Taft announced that Hughes would grace the supreme bench. It is recalled now, in official circles here, as weighted with significance, that Justice Peckham was from the federal district including New York.

Governor Hughes promised President Taft he could call upon him at any time and would find him willing to help. Hughes may be willing now to help.

THE ST. JEAN MURDER

"Herb Doctor" Appears Indifferent When Arraigned in Court

Fall River, Mass., Oct. 28.—When Frank L. Hill was arraigned here, charged with the murder of Amelia St. Jean, whose dismembered body was found along a road in Tiverton, Ludlowe Marsoff, a fruit dealer, was a leading witness against him.

Marsoff's fruit store is in front of Hill's office. The fruit dealer testified that Hill on a Friday night took from a rear room a telescope bag, which he put into a hired buggy, and also a big box which appeared very heavy. When Hill came back in the buggy the box and bag were not in the vehicle.

The case was called before Judge McDonough in the district court. The defendant was exceedingly calm, and appeared indifferent to the proceedings.

DICKINSON IS WILLING

Would Consider Nomination For Democratic Senator From Tennessee
Memphis, Oct. 28.—While not formally declaring himself a candidate to succeed present Senator James D. Frazier of Tennessee, Secretary of War Dickinson declared his willingness to be so regarded in the following words:

"It should appear to me, as has been urged, that my candidacy would be the means of unifying present warring factions in the Democratic party. I should consider it my duty to sink personal inclinations and accept the situation."

Senator McCarren's Estate
New York, Oct. 28.—The will of the late Senator McCarren will probably be presented for probate tomorrow. The estate will not exceed, it is said by those familiar with the late senator's affairs, \$50,000.

Danish Cabinet Abolishes Titles
Copenhagen, Oct. 28.—The new radical cabinet has started by abolishing all titles and orders. The members of the cabinet refuse the title of excellency and will not wear uniforms.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1909.

NEW ENGLAND FARMING

The British papers are making a great deal over the Mears & Stainbank bellfoundry, the oldest business establishment in England. It is surely venerable, as it dates from 1570.

Just as a marker on time, we wish to remark that there are farms or plantations in the United States which are nearly or quite as ancient in their record of continual occupancy and operation.

Those English papers seem to have an idea that farming is not a business, an idea which is not confined to England.

Yet farming is a business, a manufacturing business if you please. There is a plant, the raw material and auxiliaries, the tools and machinery and accessories, the products and by-products and there are also the buying of materials and equipment and the marketing of the products and by-products. What is needed for the prosperity of American farming is the grasping of that fact that farming is a business and is to be treated as a business.

The agitation by the Boston Chamber of Commerce in favor of a serious test of farming in New England rests upon a sturdy faith that the possibilities of our soil are by no means exhausted. It is news to many that Illinois and other Western men are reading and carefully considering the circulars of so-called "abandoned farms" of New England for sale, sent out by large real estate agencies of this section. With the gradual taking up of the free land of the West and with the constantly rising price of farm products and the growing city markets of the East there is inevitable in this country the same result as in Europe centuries ago—a return to land once given up as non-arable or impossible of good profit by agriculture. New England contains a large proportion of such land than any other section and hence this region is certain to be tested first when the "return to the East" movement begins.

New England produces better potatoes and better apples than the west, when the reckoning is made on the basis of quality. The yield per acre is larger in New England for potatoes and for field corn than it is in the east. Some New England orchardists are getting apple crops equal to those of the west in yield per acre.

Farming is the oldest business in New England. Let it be treated as a business.

BIRD'S EYE VIEWS

Former Congressman Joseph A. Conry has been appointed Russian vice-consul at Boston to succeed T. Quincy Browne, who has decided to retire. The jurisdiction of the vice-consulate extends over Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts. In his new position Mr. Conry, who has been paying particular attention to commercial and international questions since withdrawing from congress, will urge Boston merchants to support a movement to establish a new line of steamers between Boston and Riga and Baltic.

In a lecture at Amherst College on Monday evening, Mr. Herbert L. Bridgman, one of Commander Peary's chief supporters, said that "Mall" Henson and the four Eskimos whom the naval officer took with him to the pole were physically

superior to the "two-lands" who were with Dr. Cook. On the other hand, M. Knud Rasmussen, who saw the Cook expedition before it left Greenland in 1907, says, "I was much surprised by the excellence of its equipment in every respect. He (Dr. Cook) carried the finest and newest instruments, his dogs had been well fed and trained, and he had made the best selection of the young Eskimos available." Again, Dr. Cook's friends may take fresh courage from the statement of Dr. Henry L. Williams, football team, who says that Barrill, coach of the University of Minnesota the guide, told him last February that Dr. Cook reached the summit of Mt. McKinley. The plot thickens.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

Oklahoma's Bank Law.

The expected happened in the stinging public protest by the State Banking association of Oklahoma, against the workings of the deposit guarantee laws in that state. With but one note of objection, the Oklahoma State Bankers' association has just adopted a resolution protesting against the interference of politicians in the management of the depositors' fund, and demanding that the fund be placed in charge of two men who have some knowledge of finance and investments. They demand that the state banking board be abolished. They ask that some commission composed of reputable and responsible bankers or business men shall be allowed at least to have some say as to the control and administration of the guarantee fund, which is now being exploited, apparently, by certain practical politicians of Oklahoma. They also protest against being obliged to hand a portion of their own funds into such charge with no prospect of earning interest on those sums. They are beginning to find that, by being obliged to maintain the deposit guaranty fund out of their own assets, but with no deduction from their capital, they are facing a rather serious situation.

That the convention had the right to speak for the banking interests of Oklahoma, there seems to be little question. The convention included in its attendance about 75 of the best known bankers of Oklahoma, and they represented most, if not all, of the leading banks of the state. They did not hesitate to charge that mixture of politics with business, in the workings of the deposit guarantee law had been partly, if not mainly, responsible for the suspension of one of the largest banks and trust companies of the state. They feel that it is unsafe to allow the solvency of the great banking institutions of any state to become a plaything of partisan politics, and on the part of the men who are in politics for a living. And it is evident that they also feel that, if the present conditions in Oklahoma continue too long, other banks will suffer from this unpleasant combination of greedy politicians and the control of the banking system.

If the changes and demands of the Oklahoma convention had been made on a closely divided vote, it would have been difficult for the outside world to form an estimate as to the justice of the cry that the banking law has been made a source of income for politicians. But the fact that the vote as practically unanimous leaves little room for incredulity. When the banking law first went into operation in Oklahoma, the outside world was assured that the bankers were delighted with its workings and that they felt that it was an improvement of the previously existent conditions. There is little room for any such belief now in the fact of the almost unanimous repudiation of the law by the business men who are most directly affected. And it may be added that the experience of Oklahoma as shown in the events of the autumn, in that state, presents reasons enough why Oklahoma's plan should be regarded with suspicion by other states. Despite the endorsement which it once had from that eminent authority on political economy and finance in general, William J. Bryan.—Boston Advertiser.

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Where so'er thou art by land or sea,
On this day of days I think of thee,
As one recalls a distant sunny youth,
Or dwells anew on some important truth.

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Where so'er thou art, that you may be
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BY
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Care of an Idle
Accumulator.

AN accumulator which is to stand idle can be treated in one of two ways, either of which can be selected to suit the convenience of the user. It should either be thoroughly discharged or kept thoroughly well charged, in which latter case it is, of course, always ready for use. In the first instance, you should invariably proceed as follows: Thoroughly discharge the accumulator by connecting it to a 6-volt lamp, or a coil of iron wire until it has discharged down to 1.34 volts per cell, or 5.14 volts for a 6-volt set. Immediately after discharge, empty the acid out, and rinse the cells with water until they are quite free from acid in the plates or in the cell. Then drain it out and thoroughly dry the terminals and top of the case. Carefully vaselined the terminals and rubber bands to keep the latter soft, and put away in a pasteboard box to prevent dust settling on the top.

In adopting the second method, charge up the accumulator so that it can be said to be thoroughly well charged. If there is a connecting wire joining the two cells together at the terminals, take this away, as it leaves the two cells with their pressure divided. See that the top of the cell is very clean and vaselined the terminals and rubbers, take out the vent corks, as they cause spraying. After three months charge up again if the accumulator appears to have lost its voltage. After an accumulator has been once properly formed, it is not necessary to charge and discharge it when standing, provided it has received a good charge before standing. The easiest method of discharging is by connecting a lamp up to the terminals and leaving it until quite out.

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LITERARY NOTES

Modern Manila

Longlong ranks second or third among the great shipping ports of the world. Shanghai, Singapore, Yokohama, Nagasaki, Saigon and Bangkok have prosperous busy ports for years. But do you know that it was due to American enterprise to berth the first ocean liner at a dock anywhere in the East? We were not long in deciding that Manila needed a safe, economical and convenient harbor just as much as any old adequate fire, protection. To date more than four millions of dollars have been spent in dredging the big bay, in building a breakwater nearly two miles long, in reclaiming vast acres by hydraulic dredge to acquire dock sites, and lastly, in building fine commodious concrete piers having appropriate steel warehouses. We are the envy of all nations in the East—English, French, Dutch, Japanese—because of this colossal undertaking.—Monroe Woodley in November Pacific Monthly.

The November American Magazine. Miss Ida M. Tarbell begins her new historical serial in the November American Magazine. This will be the most important work Miss Tarbell has undertaken since her "History of the Standard Oil Company." Its theme will be the American woman and the important and

heroic part that she has played in shaping the destinies of the nation since the revolutionary days of 1776. The series will be illustrated with many beautiful portraits.

November Success Magazine

The November "Success Magazine" contains a collection of humorous, hitherto unpublished stories of the San Francisco earthquake by Will Irwin under the title, "Human Nature Under Fire." In the same number, woman finds a voice in Inez Haynes Gilmore's article, "Man—as Woman Sees Him." "Hope for the Victims of alcohol" is an article by Dr. Alexander Lambert, in which he announces the discovery of the first treatment which actually obliterates the craving for drugs and alcohol.

HACKETT'S MOTHER DIES

Actor Speeds from Chicago for Loved Parent's Funeral

New York, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Clara Cynthia Hackett, seventy-five years old, mother of James K. Hackett, and widow of James H. Hackett, who was one of the foremost actors of his time, died yesterday in her home at No. 262 West Ninety-fourth street, after a week's severe illness. Her son received the news in Chicago, where he is playing in "Samson," and he started immediately for New York. After his arrival this morning funeral services will be held privately in Jamaica, L. I.

Ever since his debut on the stage Mrs. Hackett toured the country regularly with her son and saw until this season every one of his performances. Through his domestic troubles, culminating in the divorce obtained by Mrs. Hackett, who is Miss Mary Manning on the stage, mother and son were closer together than ever. He always said that he owed his stage success to her.

PREDICTS WAR IN EUROPE

Austrian Paper Thinks Czar's Call Brings It Near

Vienna, Oct. 28.—The Vaterland which has close relations with Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir presumptive to the throne, declares that the meeting of the Czar and Italy's King brings Europe within measurable distance of war, because for Italy and Russia to declare before the world their identity in Balkan interests is in reality a war cry against Austria.

POLICE KILL BURGLARS

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 28.—Caught looting a house on South Harris avenue, two burglars were shot by bicyclist Policemen Mullen and Stewart in a running fight. Michael Foley, one of the burglars was shot through the lungs and may die. The other burglar was shot in the leg and arm. He said his name was Samuel Card, well of Chicago and that he met Foley in Cincinnati.

WRECKED HESTIA BREAKING UP

Eastport, Me., Oct. 28.—The Donaldson liner Hestia, which was wrecked off Seal Cove, is almost completely submerged. Judging from the great quantity of her cargo that is afloat, it is thought the steamer is breaking up rapidly. The men of the Grand Manan fishing fleet turned wreckers and found rich picking in the waters around the stranded liner.

NORTH DAKOTA
TRIALS BEGIN

The Battleship is off Provincetown Today

Boston, Oct. 28.—The battleship North Dakota left the Fore River Shipbuilding company in Quincy this morning for her builder's trial off Provincetown, in command of Capt. Thomas B. Evans.

The battleship's speed will be tested by the government over the regulation course off Rockland, Me., next week.

Among those who will make the trip today on the North Dakota will be Commander C. P. Plunkett, U. S. N., who, it is expected, will be appointed executive officer of the battleship when she goes into commission. In the trial today he is inspector of the electrical appliances. General Manager H. G. Smith and F. O. Wellington will look after the company's interests.

The North Dakota is expected at the Charlestown navy yard on Friday afternoon, and will go into drydock to have her bottom scraped and painted. She will leave on Sunday for the government speed tests off Rockland. On Tuesday she will have her standardization trials, and Thursday will have a four hour run at top speed.

Soon after she will have a 24 hour run at a speed of 24 knots, and later she will have a 24 hour run at a speed of 19 knots. Next will come the backing, turning and maneuver trials, after which the North Dakota will return to the navy yard, where she will leave the government trial board and then go back to the Fore River yards to be finished up.

The official dimensions of the battleship are:

Length on load waterline, about 510 feet; breadth, extreme, at load waterline, about 85 feet 2 5/8 inches; displacement on trial, not more than 20,000 tons; mean draft to bottom of keel at trial displacement, 27 feet; total coal bunker capacity, about 2300 tons; coal carried on trial, 1000 tons; feed water carried on trial, 65 tons; speed on trial, 21 knots.

Armament—Main battery, 10 12-inch breech loading rifles. Secondary battery, 14 five-inch rapid fire guns, four three pounder saluting guns, four one pounder semi automatic guns, two three-inch field pieces, two machine guns, calibre 30; two submerged torpedo tubes.

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HOME FROM NEWFOUNDLAND

Gilsum, Oct. 28.—Miss Nellie Gunn who has been in Newfoundland for over a year as a missionary, doing hospital work under Dr. Grafton, has returned to her home here for a stay, as her work while away was very arduous.

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THE P. A. C. GAVE DINNER

The Portsmouth Athletic club gave a dinner on Wednesday evening at the club house, to the members of the baseball team which have played one or more games with the team during the past season. The affair was confined to members of the team with President E. Percy Lawrence presiding.

The invitation issued by the club was, "The Portsmouth Athletic club extends you a cordial invitation to participate in a dinner to be given in the club house Wednesday evening, Oct. 27, at 7.30, complimentary to the baseball team of 1909." This was sent to the following members of "the outfit":

Captain Sperry Locke, Bill Woods, Frank Newick, "Bobbie" Rowe, Geo. Treddick, "Wes" Ham, "Pete" Hatch, "Johnny" Mitchell, George Jewell, "Chet" Seaver, "Perc" Jewell, Howard Gowen, George Woods, "Lemmie" Scruton, Ira Newick, "Hod" Rowe, "Mutt" Thresher, "Gill" Chapman, "Ed" Holmes, "Seth" Hanson, "Tommy" Quinn, Percy Hersey, Charles Brackett, "Young" Charles Brackett, "Waddy" Woods, "Jack" Mates, Walter Lynskey and "Jim" Goodrich.

A tasteful souvenir in the shape of a menu card was presented to each person, and it contained in addition to the monogram of the club, the menu and the list of those present.

The menu served by the club chef was as follows:
Tomato Soup au Croutons
Celery Olives
Fried Great Bay Smelts
Green Peas
Sirloin Steak a la P. A. C.
Potato Chips Lobster Salad
Hot Rolls
Ice Cream Macarons
Sautines Swiss Cheese
Glasses

When cigars were reached President E. Percy Lawrence acted as toastmaster, and he called on former President William Newell, Captain Sperry Locke and others for remarks and the old battles were fought over lining by lining once more. It was a very pleasant gathering and everybody present were sorry when the midnight hour struck and the gathering broke up.

ITALY AWAKE ON FORESTRY QUESTION

Carrying on an Active Campaign of Replanting the Land With Trees.

Italy, which has suffered extremely in the past from the ruin which follows the removal of protective forests is now among the leading nations working for the conservation of forest resources. Extensive operations in reforestation have been going on for forty years, and the Italian Secretary of Agriculture has just published his report on the progress made in that time.

This report indicates that the Italian Government is keenly aware of the value of forests in the country and that it is determined to bring its deforested lands into a forested state as soon as again possible. To attain this end, planting operations have been conducted on government land to such an extent that during the last thirty years 122,600 acres have been planted in twenty-five of the provinces of Italy. Of this area, 60,000 acres or approximately 108 square miles

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BODIES ARE COMING ASHORE FROM WRECK

Yarmouth, N. S., Oct. 28.—Three bodies, believed to be those of members of the crew of the wrecked steamer Hestia, were washed ashore Wednesday on southwest coast of Nova Scotia.

Two came ashore in a ship's boat, which drifted upon the beach near this city, and a third body was in another life-boat at Salmon River, near Digby.

All these bodies were brought here for an inquest and possible identification.

The boat with the single body which was found near Salmon River, bore the name Cassandra on it, but it is known that the Hestia was a sister ship and frequently carried some of the Cassandra's boats and gear.

The points where the life-boats came ashore are directly across the bay of Fundy from the scene of the wreck and a trifle inside the bay. The southerly winds and the strong tides are thought to have brought the boats in this direction.

Captain Silas Harding, superintendent of the first life-saving district, was very much interested in

the accounts of the wreck of the steamer Hestia off the Great Manan Island Bay of Fundy. There are two stations in his district which are near the scene of the wreck, but up to last night Capt. Harding had not received any word as to whether they were able to be of any assistance or not.

From the dispatches he said that he thought the steamer sank on the British side of the bay, and that the volunteer crew from that station did the best they could. There are two stations on the American side, one at Cross Island and another at Quaddy Head both about fifteen miles from Seal Cove, where the steamer sank.

The wreck could not be seen from either station, although the Cross Island station has a very high lookout tower. Captain Harding stated that they have two excellent crews at these stations, and they have made some fine records at rescuing people from wrecks off the Great Manan. They may have gone there on hearing of the disaster, as they frequently did in times of need.

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD PROTESTS AGAINST TAXES

Hon. Henry B. Cleaves, of Portland, Me., counsel for the Maine Central road, on Wednesday filed with Clerk Shurtliff a petition for the reduction and abatement of taxes assessed by the state board of equalization against the Portland & Ogdensburg and Upper Coos railroads, which are operated by the Maine Central under lease.

The grounds on which the abatement is asked are similar to those set out in the bill of the Boston & Maine road, filed Tuesday, that the property of the road was not assessed up to its equal value; that the taxes assessed are unequal, disproportional and unjust when compared with the taxes assessed upon other property and that the roads have been deprived of the equal protection of the law and denied the due process of the law.

Attorney-General Eastman, who refused heretofore in the United States.

It was only after Mrs. Van Doan had obtained permission from her husband that Mr. Wright consented to take her for a flight. The trip today was made in a calm. Mrs. Van Doan expressed herself as delighted with her experience.

Mr. Wright afterward put the aeroplane through several short flights, his home, and on Sunday his condition became so serious that he was taken to the hospital, where he sank until his death.

DIES OF FOOTBALL HURTS

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 28.—Clarence Pierce, nineteen, died at the Delaware hospital on Tuesday evening from injuries received in a game of football on Saturday afternoon. During a scrimmage young Pierce was thrown to the ground and several players jumped on him. The youth was carried from the field to his home, and on Sunday his condition became so serious that he was taken to the hospital, where he sank until his death.

PLANNING TWO CANADIAN DRY-DOCKS

Government Asks to Subsidize St. John and Lewis Establishments.

The Canadian government has been asked to subsidize a two and a half million dollar dry dock and ship repair plant at St. John, N. B., and a three and three-quarters million dollar and shipbuilding plant at Lewis, Que. The St. John dock is to have a length of 800 feet width of 100 feet at the entrance. The Lewis dock will be the largest in the world, a thousand feet long and 800 feet wide at the entrance. The government is asked to give an annual bonus of a quarter million dollars for fifty years. The companies backing the application are Harlan & Wolff, Belfast; MacArthur & Perks, who built the Manchester Ship Canal, the Canadian Pacific, Allan, Bond, Union, Manchester and White Star Steamship lines. It is probable the government will give the aid asked and that the docks will be built within three years.

ARMY NEVER IN BETTER CONDITION

Washington, Oct. 28.—The United States army was never in a better condition or in a higher state of efficiency than at present, Gen. Charles Morton, commanding the military department of the Missouri, says in his annual report to the War Department. General Morton has noticed a steady and constant improvement, more pronounced of late years. In recommending that the age retirement in the army be fixed at sixty-two the age limit in the navy, General Morton declares that that limit would benefit the service directly and would facilitate promotions without working injustice or injury to deserving individuals.

"The embarrassments and harmful results arising from the absence of so many officers from their proper organizations," Gen. Morton observes, "have been emphasized during the year rather than diminished." He suggests that the evil might be somewhat remedied by keeping captains with their companies and having detached service performed by other officers.

To relieve in a measure the present stress and antipathy and provide for the much greater demand for officers in the event of war, legislation authorizing the filling by promotion or appointment of any vacancy in an organization caused by the detachment of any officer therefrom to fill a detail specially authorized by law is urged.

NAVY AWARDS COVETED "E"

Department Honors Men Who Made Best Records in Gunnery Work.

When a Yale student gets the varsity "Y" for athletic prowess he enjoys life's greatest triumph. A similar experience is in store for a couple of hundred young men behind the guns of the United States navy. The department has just announced the crews which made the highest record in the recent gun pointers practice, and all the members some two hundred of them, will be permitted to wear on their sleeves the navy "E" for excellence.

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TO BUILD CHALLENGE BOAT IN CANADA

New York, Oct. 28.—Prominent yacht designers on this side of the Atlantic are joining with Sir Thomas Lipton in his suggestion that a fairer and better race for the America cup could be sailed with larger and more seaworthy boats than with the lighter "racing machines" which have been developed under the old rules.

William Gardner, A. C. Smith and Henry Gjelov, all noted builders and designers, said today they saw no reason why a challenge under the American rules of measurement, which were adopted in 1905 by the New York yacht club, should be refused. Some of the designers declare that even faster and better boats can be built to comply with the new rules, and a contest under more normal and satisfactory conditions would result.

Sir Thomas received a number of prominent yachtsmen and members of the New York yacht club in his hotel rooms Wednesday, and the sentiment of the club is being carefully determined by the Irish yachtsman before he decides to issue his formal challenge.

There has been some talk of the possibilities of building a challenger in Canada which would preclude the hazardous trip across the Atlantic. It is pointed out that a challenger on the old lines could be built there and sail "on her own bottom" from St. John, Halifax, Sydney or some other point to Sandy Hook with perfect safety. The facilities for building racing yachts in Canada are poor, however, and such an undertaking does not appear to be feasible to most of the yachtsmen and designers to whom it has been suggested.

PULLED IRON OUT OF MAN'S HEAD

Camden, N. J., Oct. 28.—By means of a magnet attached to a city electric light wire carrying 20,000 volts of electricity, a silver of steel was extracted from the forehead of Richard Stephens, a boiler-maker, in the Cooper Hospital, on Wednesday. It was found impracticable to operate in the usual way, as the piece of steel was near the optic nerve, and blindness might have resulted.

The magnet was procured from an electrical plant and the current turned on. Then the magnet was held close to the man's head. An instant later the silver of steel was clinging to the magnet. The patient felt no pain.

The Only Perfect Food.

The Chesapeake bay oyster is the only perfect food known to man. Every molecule of its frame is utilized. There are no feathers to blow away in picking; there are no bones to be heaved to the house dog under the table; there are no hoofs, horns, fur, down, gristles or soup meat to be wasted. It is more valuable than the hog, for it has no squeal to lose. The only sound it makes in dying is a satisfied chirp. It seems to enjoy being eaten, and it is at least polite enough to refrain from spilling the feast with disgusting protests.

In a word, it has delicacy of feeling as well as delicacy of flavor.—Baltimore Sun.

When a Coin Turns Green.

"I suppose you catch many fish that are not good for food," remarked a lawyer to a fisherman.
"Oh, yes," was the reply. "Sometimes I know 'em by sight, sometimes I don't. Of course when I recognize the undesirable ones I throw 'em back in the water or kill 'em, but when in doubt I wait until I get home. Then I dress 'em and put 'em in a 'spider' with a silver quarter, over the kitchen fire."

WESTERN STATE BOULEVARD

Keene, Oct. 28.—The work on the state boulevard began last week at the Keene line and will go through Marlow to where the road is under repairs in that place. In order to make the repairs the road over Bingham hill is closed to passage of vehicles, a large force of men is working and it is expected that the work will progress rapidly.

The gophers are thick in the woods at the present time. They report on ridges as very plentiful this fall.

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If it is warmer material for Night Robes, Skirts and Children's Garments the display of Outing Cloths, Eider Flannels, Blanket Wrappers and Bath Robes will be of interest.

AT NAVY YARD

More Sea Wall is Badly Needed

Marcellus Sails Friday at 7 O'clock

Department Changes Orders on Torpedo Boat

Men from This City Who Will Work in West Indies

Entertained at Dinner
Capt. and Mrs. Bostwick entertained at dinner on Wednesday evening. Their guests were Captain and Mrs. Zane, Mrs. Venable and her son Paymaster Venable, Captain Beatty and Miss Sample.

It's Only a Rumor
Rumors have it that one or more of the marine corps officers at this station will be transferred to duty in China.

More Sea Wall Wanted
The present officials of the yard and station express themselves as others have in the past that this yard must have more seawall and the sooner some effort is directed in this cause the better it will be for the station. The station has long been handicapped in the matter of appropriation for this work and the way the navy department has let out contracts in hunches.

To Work in Cuba
The members of the Portsmouth party, who recently left for Cuba where they assist the survey expedition, are Samuel Pligim, James McCarthy, Louis Finkleton, Wilbur Cornish and Woodbury Gates. They will work with the engineer corps from the U. S. S. Hist.

The Reid at Charlestown
The new torpedo boat Reid, recently completed at the Bath Iron Works, Bath, Me., arrived at the Boston navy yard on Wednesday and was formally delivered to the government. On her trial runs four weeks ago the Reid attained a speed of 31.85 knots an hour for four hours thus clinching her claim to being the fastest of American naval vessels.

Marcellus to Sail Friday
According to sailing orders the collier Marcellus will get away at 7 o'clock on Friday morning. She will go from here to Boston and from there to Hampton Roads.

Back on the Job
The Fitzgibbon Construction Company of Beverly, have again started operations in the quay wall which has been held up for two weeks of more.

Call Was Light Today
Two moulder's helpers were called by the labor bureau today.

She's Gone to Boston
The navy department has caused a disappointment in sending the torpedo boat Reid to Boston. Orders had previously been received here to do considerable work on the boat.

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when she arrived from Bath but the change issued on Wednesday sent the boat in to Boston yard.

Commander Hoff Detached
Commander A. B. Hoff, one of the best liked and most efficient officers ever stationed at this yard, has been detached and ordered to the U. S. S. Michigan as the executive officer. He will be relieved by Comdr. J. F. Hubbard.

PERSONALS

W. J. Cater was a Boston visitor today.

Mrs. Henry McCue is passing the day in Boston.

License Inspector Magoon was a visitor here last evening.

U. S. Marshal E. P. Nute of Farmington was in the city today.

Miss Almira Gardner of South street is visiting in Dover.

Hon. O. H. Drinkwater of Northport, Me., is a Portsmouth visitor today.

C. A. Anderson of Portsmouth has been visiting at his former home in Johnston.

Miss John S. Parker, night clerk at the postoffice, starts today on his annual vacation.

W. S. Cummings has returned from a two days' business trip to Boston and Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey of Boyd road left today for a visit to Montreal and Quebec.

Mrs. John Flanagan of Sligo, Ireland, is visiting her brother, Henry Mulligan of State street.

Cornelius Creedon and daughter, Miss Annie Creedon of Newburyport were here on Wednesday.

Mrs. William A. Pierce and Mrs. Joseph Pierce have returned from a few days' visit in Boston.

L. A. Leavitt and family of Elliot left today for Mojave, California, where they will pass the winter.

Thomas McKenna went to Boston today, to meet his son and daughter, who arrive from Ireland via the White Star line.

Mrs. Cameron McKee Winslow of Newport, R. I., and Mrs. Arthur Winslow and Mrs. Charlotte Winslow of Boston are at the Buckingham hotel.

Rev. E. J. Walsh, P. R., and Rev. James E. White of this city, attended the funeral services on Tuesday of Rev. Fr. McCooey at St. Mary's church in Dover.

Mrs. William M. Lamson, with her two children, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wendell, on Main street, returned to her home in Memphis, N. Y., on Wednesday.

Mr. William N. Redding of Middle road, who is suffering with an eye trouble, has been removed to the Cottage hospital, where an operation will be performed. His host of friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Word has been received in this city of the birth of a daughter to Captain and Mrs. Giles Bishop, U. S. N. C., on Aug. 25, at Oronago, P. I., where he is stationed. The baby was named June Kellerman Bishop. Captain Bishop was formerly stationed at this navy yard.

POLICE COURT

Myrtle Frost, of Kittery, a wayward young girl, was sentenced by Judge Shines in police court today to six months at the house of correction at Brentwood.

Carl Johnson, who was just released in superior court and his case continued, on a charge of larceny, appeared in the lower court today on a charge of drunkenness. His case will be referred to the county solicitor and it is likely he will be compelled to serve a sentence for the former case with a few extras added for the drunk.

Henry Barrett, drunk, six months at farm, and costs of \$5.00.

Frank Ward, drunk, case placed on file.

MERROW---GRANT

Portsmouth Girl Weds Man from Manchester

Fred Wingate Merrow of Manchester and Miss Alice Marion Grant of Portsmouth joined hands for life at one o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Grant of Cabot street. The marriage ceremonial words were spoken by Rev. George E. Leighton, pastor of the Universalist church, who has just arrived home from the Universalist national convention at Detroit.

The house was tastefully decorated with autumn leaves, plants and ferns.

The bride wore an attractive traveling suit of dark blue serge with blue silk waist to match. Her hat is of light blue chenille with paradise feathers. During the ceremony she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The bridesmaid was Miss Mabel Somerby and the best man was Mr. Frank H. W. Grant.

Out of town guests were present from Manchester, Hanover and Rye, N. H. and Elliot, Me. They were at the wedding luncheon at eleven o'clock.

The happy couple were given the customary send-off at the station where they took the 1.52 train for the South. On their return they will reside at No. 56 Prospect street, Manchester. The groom, who is a brakeman on the Southern division of the Boston and Maine railroad, claims Manchester as his home. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Merrow of that city.

The best wishes of a host of Portsmouth friends will follow Mrs. Merrow in her new home.

QUIETLY CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARY

Fifty-Four Years of Married Life for Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Newton

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Newton of Gardiner street are quietly observing the fifty-fourth anniversary of their marriage today.

None of the city's long married residents have enjoyed more bliss on the matrimonial sea and their married life has been marked with good deeds and charity. On this occasion congratulations were extended from all quarters and their friends called to wish them many happy returns of the day.

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George Guptill, New Castle, N. H.

Arthur Belanger, Newmarket, N. H.

RAILROAD NOTES

Miss Annie Corcoran, cashier at the depot cafe, is enjoying a vacation.

A special train containing Assistant Superintendent Henry Scannell, Roadmaster Thornton, Assistant Roadmaster J. N. Wentworth, Supervisor of Bridges Lydston and General Agent F. F. Grant, went over the Conway branch today on a tour of inspection.

Miss Della Sawyer has concluded her duties at the depot cafe.

A farmers' excursion train from Intervale to Boston passed through here today in charge of Conductor Baker and was well loaded with passengers for the Hub.

Fireman Charles E. Geddings, a marksman of no mean ability, was pleasantly surprised on Wednesday when he was presented on behalf of his fellow workmen about the station with a costly rifle of the latest make. Engineer Goldsmith in a neat speech, delivered the gift.

"ACROSS THE DIVIDE"

Great Western Feature Picture May Be Seen at Music Hall

"Across the Divide" is the title of the great western picture made by the "Seelig" company, now being shown at Music Hall. The picture is replete with strong acting and scenic effects and without doubt is the best picture of western life yet taken. The other pictures on the program include some wholesome comedy and entertaining dramatic subjects.

Geo. Donaldson, a very clever monologist, made good with the audience on the start. He carries an up to date line of talk and he will surely be a favorite for the rest of the week.

Harry Latoy is the other act on the bill. He kept the audience laughing for the twenty minutes he occupied the stage with his comedy juggling act.

Miss Anna DeCoste is singing "Someone Else," a new ballad and the latest comedy song, "When She Comes Back, I'm Going Away." This is a sequel to and a bigger hit than "My Wife's Gone to the Country."

CUSTOM HOUSE OPEN SUNDAY

New York Importers to Have Benefit of Old Tariff Treaty

New York, Oct. 28—Collector Loeb has announced that the custom house will hold open Sunday to permit ships bound for this port to take advantage of the last hour of life of the existing tariff agreements with France, Switzerland and Belgium.

Under the new law, which goes into effect Monday, Nov. 1, duties will advance \$2.50 a case, or about 15 cents a bottle on champagne and brandies.

French custom houses will be similarly open until the last moments for the reception of American goods.

The customs authorities had previously decided to hold open until 4.30 Saturday afternoon, although the Saturday closing hour is noon, and the Sunday announcement comes as an additional concession.

WARREN CASWELL

Warren Caswell died this morning at his home in Rye, aged seventy-seven years, five months and eighteen days. He leaves his wife, two sons, and one daughter.

Be a reader of the Herald and you are sure to be posted.

CITY BRIEFS

Fifty-two degrees above zero today at two o'clock.

Two clever vaudeville acts are being presented at Music Hall.

Telephone 37 and have the Herald left at your home every night.

Portsmouth's cosy theatre contained a large audience last evening.

Smoke the Warwick 10c cigar, Ed. Brown manufacturer, 23 Market St.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, corner Fleet and Porter Sts.

The water in Lake Massabesic, the Manchester water supply, is the lowest of any known record.

Mr. Edmund C. Tarbell of New Castle played in the golf tournament at the Wollaston golf club on Wednesday.

Full moon this week. Pretty soon the full moon will be gone and we will need the lights on the big bridge.

Wednesday was one of the few ideal days that came at this time of the year. The temperature was well up and it was comfortable without a coat.

The remainder of the criminal cases in the superior court will not be reached before Friday, and it is understood that there will be a few jury trials in the hunch.

The New Hampshire football team will play another game with Portsmouth at the Plains on Saturday afternoon. The game with the Wisconsin has been put off until next week, both teams wishing to be at their best for this game.

ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT

Dr. Herbert L. Taylor of this city, who graduated from the Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia, has been elected vice president of the New Hampshire Alumni who were formerly connected with that institution.

NOTICE

Sale and dance under auspices of Constitution Circle, No. 294, C. of F., of A. at Rechabite Hall, Thursday and Friday evening, October 28 and 29. Music by Wentworth and Marden. Tickets fifteen cents.